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NOTIFICATION

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S.R.O. 3068.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 169 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), the Central Government, after consulting the Election Commission, hereby directs that the following amendments shall be made in the Representation of the People (Conduct of Elections and Election Petitions) Rules, 1956, namely:—

In the said Rules—

(i) for Rule 135, the following rule shall be substituted, namely:—

"135. Maximum election expenses.—(1) The total of the expenditure of which account is to be kept under section 77 and which is incurred in connection with an election in any one Parliamentary constituency shall not exceed—

- (a) Rs. 35,000 in the case of a two-member constituency in any State;
- (b) Rs. 25,000, in the case of a single-member constituency in any State;
- (c) Rs. 15,000, in the case of a two-member constituency in any Union territory; and
- (d) Rs. 10,000, in the case of a single-member constituency in any Union territory.

(2) The total of the expenditure of which account is to be kept under section 77 and which is incurred in connection with an election in any one Assembly constituency shall not exceed the amount specified in respect of that constituency in the following table:—

State	Single-member constituency	Two-member constituency
	Rs.	Rs.
Andhra Pradesh	7,000	12,000
Assam	6,000	11,000
Bihar	8,000	13,000
Bombay	8,000	13,000
Kerala	7,000	12,000
Madhya Pradesh	7,000	12,000

State	Single-member constituency	Two-member constituency
Madras	9,000	14,000
Mysore	6,000	11,000
Orissa	7,000	12,000
Punjab	7,000	12,000
Rajasthan	6,000	11,000
Uttar Pradesh	9,000	14,000
West Bengal	7,000	12,000."

(ii) Schedule III shall be omitted.

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